

OCTOBER 15, 2005 ELECTION
PARISH OF LASALLE

LAW ENFORCEMENT DISTRICT PROPOSITION
(SALES TAX)

SUMMARY: 1% SALES AND USE TAX FOR (1) ACQUIRING, CONSTRUCTING, EQUIPPING, IMPROVING, MAINTAINING AND OPERATING JAIL FACILITIES AND (2) PAYING OTHER LAWFUL EXPENSES OF OPERATING THE DISTRICT AND THE LASALLE PARISH SHERIFF'S OFFICE, INCLUDING AUTHORITY TO FUND THE SALES TAX INTO BONDS.

Shall the Law Enforcement District of the Parish of LaSalle, State of Louisiana (the "District"), be authorized to levy and collect a tax of one percent (1%), effective January 1, 2006 (the "Tax"), upon the sale at retail, the use, the lease or rental, the consumption, and the storage for use or consumption, of tangible personal property and on sales of services in the District, all as defined in La. R.S. 47:301 through La. R.S. 47:317, inclusive, with the proceeds of the Tax (after paying reasonable and necessary costs and expenses of collecting and administering the Tax) to be dedicated and used for the purposes of (1) acquiring, constructing, equipping, improving, maintaining and operating jail facilities and (2) paying other lawful expenses of operating the District and the LaSalle Parish Sheriff's Office, and shall the District further have the authority to fund the proceeds of the Tax into bonds to pay the cost of acquiring, constructing, equipping and improving jail facilities, pursuant to La. R.S. 39:698.1, et seq., and other constitutional and statutory authority?